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4 Old Jewry, E.C. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND: GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney.

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Arrivals.

Jan. 16, China, N. G. steamer, 643, Moller, Shanghai, Jan. 12, General.—Siems-SEN & Co.

Jan. 16//merica, Salvadorian ship, 1450, Perks, Manila, Jan. 6, Ballast. - Captain. Jan. 16, Batavia, North G. barque, 366, Hartzer, Whampoa bound to Ningpo, Jan. 13. General. WM. PUSTAU & Co. Jan. 16, Sarah Scott, British barque, 565, Riches, Yokohama, Dec. 21, Ballast. -

BOURJAU HUBBNER & Co. Jan. 17; Californian, Brit. steamer, 1831, Watson, Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, Dec. 20, Jan. 3 and 8, 310 chests Opium and 6000 bales Cotton.—TURNER & Co. Jan. 17, Orissa, British steamer, 1119,

J. C. Babor, Bombay, Galle, Penang and Singapore, Dec. 25, Opium and Treasure. -P. & O. S. N. Co. Jan. 17, Schulze Delitsch, North German barque, 174, H. Prehn, Bangkok, Nov. 21, Teakwood. -- WM. PUSTAU & Co.

Jan. 17. Morning Star, Siamese barque, 570, N. Schutt, Chefoo, Jan. 4, General. -Jan. 17, Spindrift, Brit. ship, 900, Ines,

Shanghai, Jan. 13, Ballast. - John Burd Jan. 17, Irvanois, U. S. steam-sloop, 6 guns, 1,000, Earl English, Manile, Jan. 14. Jan. United Service, from Whampon.

Departurés.

Jan, 16. Diomed, for Shanghai, 18. Ottawa, for Shanghai. Viscount Canning, for Saigon. 18. Mary Ann Wilson, for Iloilo. 18. Banda, for Bangkok. 18. Friendship, for Bangkok.

18. Deutschland, for Singapore, Albatross, for Turon.

Passengers. ARRIVED. Per China, Messrs T. Buch-

huster, Kohs, Mrs Piebrowsky and child, and 60 Chinese. Per Californian, 4 European deck and 2 Per Orissa, Miss Veysey, Mrs - Dutton, | Company, No. 39, Queen's Road, Hong-

Chah Hoon, J. Vander I ut and Shaw.

Shipping Reports.

The N. G. str. China, from Shanghae, reports left Shanghae on 12th Jan. at P.M. met with very thick and cloudy and rainy weather, and light N. W. wind during the first part of passage; the latter part had light northerly winds and fine weather till arrival at Hongkong on 16th Jan., at 5.50 p.m. In the river passed the British ship Northfleet bound up; on same day, at 7 p.m., anchored till 10 a.m. next day near Gutzlaff Island on account of thick foggy weather; Jan. 15, at 5.30 a.m. off Cupche point, passed northward bound steamer supposed to be the steam-ship Eri

The British steamer Californian, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore reports fine weather and strong N. E. monsoon all the passage to Hongkong.

New Advertisements:

. ARMY CONTRACT, 1869, 1870. CEALED TENDERS in duplicate, marked outside "Tenders for Army Contracts," will be received by the undersigned until Noon on MONDAY, the 15th February, 1869, from persons willing to contract for such quantities of Commissariat supplies, Hospital Supplies, or for the performauce of Barrack and Hospital services. such as washing and repairing Bedding, Utensils, &c., as may from time to time be required for the use of Her Majesty's Troops in the Island of Hongkong or its

outposts, during the year commencing 1st Forms of Tender (no other than those and Conditions of Contract, with any further information that may be required. can be obtained on application to the Commissariat, Bairack, or Purveying Departments, for the respective supplies and

services. Each Tender to be signed by two responsible persons, willing to become surety for the party tendering. The right of rejecting the lowest or any

Tentler is reserved. REDMOND UNIACKE. Dept. Commis. Gen. Controller's Office, Commissariat, Hongkong, January 16, 1869.

OD. Since you left us things deeply Concerning you have happened Come home: or at least give opportunity of com-municating with you.—ARTHUR, Hougkong, January 18, 1869,

New Advertisements.

FOR YOKOHAMA. The British steamer Captain J. Roskell, will - above port on Wednesday, the 20th instant, at daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co., Hongkong, January 18, 1869.

FOR MANILA. The Spanish brig will have quick despatch.

WAHEE & Co. Hongkong, January 18, 1869.

For Freight, apply to

FOR NAGASAKI. The A 1 North German barque

DWINA," Capt. Von RITTERN, will have quick despatch, should sufficient inducoment offer: For Freight or Passage, apply to

EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, January 18, 1869.



CEALED TENDERS (in Duplicate marked "Tenders for Bills" wi be received at this Office until Noon on FRIDAY, the 22nd inst., for Bills on the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, or on the Governor General of India in Council, Calcutta, both at 30 days sight, in exchange for current Dollars of Hongkong at 7.1.7.

Bills on London will not be drawn for sums under £1,000, and on Calcutta under | Rooms, Rupees 10,000.

The accepted Tenders will be at once notified to the respective parties by letter, requesting them to lodge the amount to the credit of the Commissariat Account at the Oriental Bank Corporation, where a receipt will be given, on production of which at this Office the Bills will be issued. In order to save time, it is requested that the sets of Bills required may be detailed in the margin of the Tender, and it is particu-

larly requested that the Tenders may be in REDMOND UNIACKE, Dep. Commis, Gen.

Controller's Office, Commissariat. Hongkong, January 16, 1869. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Notice to Shareholders. TATARRANTS for the refund of the Paid uvv up Capital of \$500 per Share can be obtained on application at the Office of the Mr and Mrs McClelland, Messrs E. Bezon- kong, and will be payable at the Hong jee, Jarrard, O. Jones, E. Sackerman, Yeoh kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on and after the 18th instant.

In Liquidation.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, January 16, 1869

MEDICAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY IN CHINA.

HE Thirtieth Annual MEETING of this Society will be held in Canton on FRIDAY, the 22nd of January, at 11 clock A.M., at the house of Mesars LYPHANT & Co.

J. G. KERR, Secretary. Canton, January 16, 1869.



DE SOUZA'S

BOOKS RACE

PRICE,.....30 cents each. Hongkong, January 14, 1969.

NY person having Claims against the A Undersigned will please send them for collection before the 31st instant, and all persons who are indebted will please pay before that date, as the Undersigned intends leaving the Colony early in February. A. H. CHINOY, Gage Street.

Hongkong, January 14, 1869. Sound Tientsin PONY, for SALE.

RUD, JENSEN.

Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

issued by the Commissariat will be received) INTE have this day established ourselves at this Port as Merchants and Commission Agents in connection with Messrs D. B. MEHTA & Co. of Calcutta. Mr RUSTOMJEE SORABJEE WOONWALLA (Caine Road) 132 feet, on the East 346 is authorized to sign our Firm in Hong feet and on the West 331 feet,-the balance.

RUSTOMJEE DHUNJEEBHOY & Co. Office No. 7, Hollywood Road. Hongkong, January 12, 1869.

THE Undersigned hereby inti-I mates that he has this day received the appointment of Sur- the deed of transfer. All expenses of VEYOR to FRENCH LLOYDS transfer to be paid by the purchaser. under date of December 22nd, The property to be at the risk of the pur-

ROBT. MCMURDO,

Auctions.

號八上月正年九十六百八千一英 HONGKONG, MONDAY, 18th JANUARY, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sel by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on

19th Instant, at 11 o'clock A.M., the to lowing GOODS, viz:-For account of the concerned,

Ex "DIOMED," S. S. 359 CANNONS, comprising-112—1 pounders.

All in excellent condition, and of good

manufacture. Also, About 500 Superior Tower MUS-

· A few Deane & Adams' REVOL

42 piculs Old YELLOW METAL TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 16, 1869. 191

> PUBLIC AUCTION. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.

AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. will

sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY.

the 19th inst., at Noon, at their Sales Queen's Road.— 10 pieces Scarlet all Wool Flannels.

10 pieces Scotch Coatings and Tweeds 5 dozen White Lambswool Gentlemen's Drawers.

10 dozen White Lambswool Gentlemen's Undershirts. 50 dozen men's Half-hose, assorted qualities, as Grey and White

Lambswool, Shetland, Fancy Striped, etc., etc. 100 pairs Scarlet Blankets. 20 dozen Superfine White Shirts.

Linen Fronts, assorted sizes and makes. 60 dozen Towels.

120 dozen Linen Handkerchiefs. 300 dozen Glassplates, assorted colors. 200 dozen Glass Bottles, glass stop-

120 gross Paper Collars, assorted sizes and makes, as Military, American, the Dux, etc.

90 dozen Napkins. 30 dozen Children's Socks. 8 pieces Green and Red Damask.

20 dozen Silk Handkerchiefs. 20 Lefaucheaux double-action Revolvers, 12 m/m, with ebony-carved stocks.

100 Muskets. 10 packages French refined Colza

5 casks Cognac Brandy. 10 cases 1 Sardines.

10 cases 1 Sardines. 40 bolts assorted numbers Repairing

3 coils Bolt Rope, from 41 to 51 5 barrels Bright Varnish. 25 drums Boiled Linseed Oil.

2 casks Claret. 30 cases Dutch Gin.

25 cases Claret. 30 casks Bass' Ale, in qts. 15 casks do. in pints.

10 barrels Oregon Salmon, 24 kegs Butter. And a variety of other Goods.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17 Hongkong, January 16, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Mortgagee to S. D. Sassoon, Esq. Esq. sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY. the 3rd of March 1869, at Noon, on the Premises under the power of sale con-

tained in the deed of Mortgage,-That spacious, handsome and conveniently situated DWELLING HOUSE on CAINE ROAD, built on Inland Lot 157. Bank. with the Out Offices and extensive Ground attached. The Lot measures on the North and Northwest 136 feet, on the South total area being 45,103 square feet, The ground tent is \$199.48 per annum.

For further particulars, apply to the undersigned. TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, the balance on completion of chaser from the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG;

OWRA & Co. will sell by Public

TUESDAY,

131 2000) for amount

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

H. B. M. Gunboats "HARDY" and DRAKE" will be OLD BY AUCTION at the NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, on

the 9th February, 1869, (unless previously disposed of by private agreement). The Hardy is of 233 tons and 60 h. power. The Drake ,, 238 The following are the articles to be sol

with each vessel, viz :--With the "Hardy." Hull complete, No masts or yards. 2 Anchors.

Awnings complete, with Iron Stanchions. Davits for 2 Boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet.

2 Downton's Pumps (1 complete). A pair of 30 Horse Power high pressure engines by Mesers. MAUDSLAY, Sons and FIELD, in fair working order. A set of 3 20 pieces Fancy Striped and Chequed | boilers, considerably worn but repairable. Spare Gear.

Cylinder Cover, 1 in No. Eccentric Ring, Piston and Rod, ... Propeller (brass), ... 1 Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, Bilge do. do.

With the "Drake." Masta complete. Yards 1 Anchor. 100 Fathoms Cable. Awnings complete. Davits for 3 boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet.

2 Oars. 2 Downton's Pumps. by Messrs. Penn and Sons, in good work-

ing order. Spare Gear. Cylinder Cover, ... 1 in No. Eccentric Ring (brass),... Piston.

1 in No. Propeller (brass), Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, ...

Hongkong, November 27, 1868.

Banks.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-Geo. F. HEARD, Esq.

A. JOOST, Esq. William Lemann, J. P. Duncanson,

E. R. Belilios, Esq.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED

VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation.

Auctions.

Auction, at their Rooms, on WEDNESDAY.

20th January, 1869, at 11 A.M., MA quantity of Household FURNI-TURE, Crockeryware, Glassware, Flannels, Cloths, Vestings, Lamps, Gas Chandeliers, Brackets and Piping, Iron Chests, Books, Pictures, Wearing Apparel, Percussion Caps, Rifles, Fowling Pieces, Oilman's Stores, Preserved Meats, Stationery, Beer, Pale Brandy, Champagne, Claret Hock and a variety of Sther GOODS

TERMS of SALE. Cash before delivery Her Majesty's Maile, Passengers, Specie, and Hongkong, January 16, 1869, is 20 on TUESDAY, 26th January, at 9 A.M.

TUESDAY.

1124 Fathoms Cable.

4 Uars and Awning,

All standing Sails, but square foresail. A 40 Horse Power high pressure engine

The boilers of this vessel have been taken do. Rod. Plumber-block brasses.

Naval Storekeeper.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK

ING CORPORATION. SUBSORIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

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ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate f of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits .-For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. , 6 ,, 4 per cent, ,, ,, ,, 12 ,, 5 per cent. ,, ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities. and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

Now L. Queen's Boad Bast. Hongkong, January 1, 1869,

Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

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Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta. HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship. RANGOON, CAPL RENHOLDSON, WITH

Cargo, will leave this for the above places, CARGO will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the For particulars regarding Freight and

Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's, Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrectness on such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, January 12, 1869.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES.

STEAM FOR

BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS. AND CALCUTTA. THE Company's Steam-ship "TIGRE,"
Commandant BorLeve, will leave this Port for the above places, with MAILS, PASSENGERS SPECIE and CARGO. on Monday, the 25th Instant, at 9 A.M. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and

accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 24th Instant, Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 24th Instant (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.



THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK. THE Steamer China, Capt. E. R. WAISAR will be despatched for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 19th January, 1869 : A Steamer will leave Shanghai on or about same date, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamer.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP

Passengers ticketed through to California Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall. Return tickets issued at a reduction of

10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Contral and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company, (Limited) and the "French Transatianti Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inmau, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship

Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Pills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valoaraise, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton,

Co., and North German Lloyds.

and St. Nazaire, France.

vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery delivery of their Goods. in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the signess risk and expense. Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO, F. BOWMAN, Agent.

Shipping.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

The Steam-ship Captain E. R. Warsaw, will sail from Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 19th instant, at 3 P.M. precisely. No Freight received after Noon of the 18th instant.

Passengers are requested to be on board at 2 P.M., day of sailing.

Hongkong, January 8, 1869. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOUCHOW. The Steam-ship

Captain Asstron, will have immediate despatch for the For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, January 16, 1869. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA. The British steamer Captain DE SMIDT, will be despatched for the above ports on Thursday next, the 21st instant, Despatches will close at 1 P.M.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 14, 1869. FOR SAIGON. The A 1 British ship "OUEAN EMPRESS" "OUEAN EMPRESS,"
McDonald, Master, will have

quick despatch for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to

For Freight, apply to GRUN & Co. Hongkong, January 7, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The N. German barque Capt. Ouken, will have quick despatch as above. "ALBATRÕSS" For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, December 15, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The North German Ship will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, January 14, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. To follow the "Marie." The British ship
"GOLDEN HORN,"

Captain RICE, will have early The British ship despatch for the above port.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American barque " PEKIN." W. F. SEYMOUR, Master, will have quick despatch for the

For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, December 28, 1868. FOR NEW YORK. The British barque "GLENDOVEER." Captain Wilson, will load here and at Whampos, and have immediate despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

FOR NEW YORK, The favorite American ship ''MAGNET," CROSBY, Master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will load here, and at Whampos, for the above port, and have quick despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, January 6, 1869.

Hougkong, December 23, 1868.

FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT.) The British Barque "MELKOSE" Captain KINDRED, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY. The Dutch barque Capt. Oostkum, will have quick despatch for the above ports.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 23, 1868.

Notices to Consignees.

S. S. "ARRATOON APCAR," FROM SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above unamed steamer are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature Freight to United States payable in ad to the Undersigned, and to take immediate Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Con-

> GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 12, 1869,

Repaining

THE following cases have been lauded and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868.

VC 827 1 case Arms. Ex "Tigre," 6th January, 1869, ... 4 cases Revolvers. LO 5 & 5 bis, ... 2 cases Shell Screws LC 6 dt 7, ... 2 cases Pistolis. RO & 0 361/70, ... 10 cases Opium.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agentary Hougkong, January 16, 1869.

MOTIOE TO CONSIGNEES. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the British barque Crested Ware, Capt. RENOUP, from London, are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. EDOUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.

Hongkong, January 12, 1869. "SIR LANCELOT," FROM LUNDON. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1869.

P. M. S. S. Co. Str." "OHINA," FROM SAN FRANCISCO. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves.

sel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. GEO, F. BOWMAN,

Hongkong, January 8, 1869. CONSIGNEES of Cotton per Str. Natta are requested to send in their Bills liability. The capital proposed to be called of Lading, for countersignature, to the Undersigned, and take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the yes-"sel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

Notices of Firms

NOTICE. 171E have suthorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE Vi; to sign our Firm from this date.

Hongkong, January I, 1868. NOTICE: R. WILLIAM JUDSON BLYDENBURGH, IVA and Mr GEORGE HURLBUT are admitted partners in our Firm. Mr HENRY CUTLER Low will sign our

DREYER & Co.

Tiru per procuration. SMITH ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

HE interest and responsibility of Mr ABRAHAM DAVID EZEKIEL, in our Firm in China, ceased on the 31st December last, and Mr CHARLES ELIAS SASSOON has been admitted a partner therein from B. D. SASSOON & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

HAVE this day authorised Mr Languon Davies to sign my name per procuration to all orders for goods supplied to the Horgkong Hotel, and Lalone am liable to pay for goods supplied upon such

Thave further authorised Mr Davies collect all debts due to me on Hotel count, for which his receipt will be a suffi-LEE AFOONG.

Hongkong, December 1, 1868. NOTICE. R.C. J. H. Schroder, is authorised to

114 sign our Firm per procuration, from SCHWANBECK & THIEL. Saigon, November 14, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr WILLIAM NELLSON in our Firm ceased non, the 30th June last.

Mr. Tobias Pim, Mr William Nisbet OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

quity to denot NOTICE! HAVE this day established myself as 2 PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT AVERAGE AD JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE. 'ROM and after this date Mr GEORGE F. BOWMAN will not as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS. Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

AR. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, June 3, 1868. NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under

he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.

Saigon, December 20, 1867. NOTICE

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. FREDERICK PEDDER in our Firm ceases from this date.

H. D. BROWN & Co. Amoy, December 31, 1868.

be conducted under the Name of BROWN wise they will not be recognised. H. D. BROWN & Co.

Notices of Firms.

MARD. O. CLARK retires from our Firm. 111 and Mr J. MURRAY FORBES and Mr E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners from this date. RUSSELL & Co. China, January 1, 1869

11/E have this day established ourselves at this Port as MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS under the firm of KRUMMENACHER & Co.

J. KRUMMENACHER. R. RADECKER. Office-No. 12, Stanley Street. Hongkong, January 1, 1869

insurances.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL 2,000,000 DOLLARS, in 2,000 Shares of 1,000 Dollars each.

> Consulting Committee: GEORGE F. HEARD, ESQ. WM. KAYE, ESQ. R. ROWETT, Esq. S. D. Sassoon, Esq. F. Buxey, Esq.

General Managers, -Messrs JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Head Office, No. 39, Queen's Road.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, which expires by effluxion of time in a few months, having proved highly successful undertaking, it has been determined by a large number of its shareholders to form a permanent Company under the same management and with poreased Capital

It is proposed to register the Company under the Limited Liability Ordinance, and the amount of the Capital having been fixed at Two Millions of Dollars, it is considered that Insurers will be amply secured thereby, while at the same time each shareholder will know the extent of his individual up amounts to a large sum, and provision will be made for the creation of an ample Reserve Fund, which will, it is expected, n a very short time accumulate to an amount practically to give the fullest security both to Insurers and Insured, irrespec-

tive of the unpaid Capital. It is intended to anticipate the termination of the Old Company, by dissolving it from and after the 31st December next, and measures are being taken for that purpose. In anticipating a successful career for the New Company, it is only necessary to present to the public the results of the Old Company since its establishment in May

1866, as exhibited by the following figures:-The total premiums collected from the 11th May 1866 to the present time, a period

of only two years and five. months, amount to.....\$304,727.72 The losses which have been

paid within the same period have amounted to......\$130,081.22 and include the large sum of \$85,270 lost by the Fire at Hongkong in Nov. 1867.

The amount now at the Credit of the Working Account, after paying all Expenses and Re-insurances to date.

These figures fully warrant the most sangume expectations of success, and it is but reasonable to expect that, strengthened with larger Capital, the present undertaking cannot fail to prove at least as successful as the former one. The Old Company, when it entered the field, had to create a business for itself, but the New one, in taking over the outstanding risks and counections of the Old Company, will at once receive a very large amount of premium. and enter on a profitable and organised business. Moreover, there is no doubt that the risk of Fire in Hongkong has been greatly diminished by the Building Regulations now in force, and by the establishment

of a Fire Brigade. The following are the main features of the New Company:-

1. A first Call of \$100, to be paid upon each share on allotment, and a further Call of \$100 to be paid in Six Months; all further Calls to be determined upon at General Meetings of the shareholders.

Interest at 12 per cent per annum to be in the first instance allowed on the paid up Capital, such Interest to be payable half-yearly, on 30th June, and 30th Deholders as shall have contributed or in-

When such Reserve Fund shall have been accumulated, the payment of Interest to cease, and the profits to be applied thus: -- 20 per cent to be distributed as already mentioned amongst the shareholders who shall have contributed business to the Company; 30 per cent. to the augmentation of the Reserve Fund untilit shall reach \$1,000,000, at which figure it is to be permanently maintained; and the remaining 50 per cent, to be distributed by way of dividend amongst the

shareholders generally. 4. No shareholder to hold more than 250

5. The Company to be managed by General Hongkong, January 6, 1869. Managers, with the assistance of a Consulting Committee. 6. The Funds of the Company to be depos-

ited in I anks or in Government Securities approved of by the Committee, The Deed of Association may be inspected | ember 1868 respectively. at the Office of the General Managers, or a the Office of Mr HENRY C. CALDWELL, the Solicitor of the Company.

Hongkong, December 15, 1868. BOMBAY MODY INSURANCE COMPANY, 1866-68,

ALAIMS against the above Company for J General, Particular Averages, etcetera. NAR. FRANCIS CHOMLEY is a Partner in | if any, must be sent to the Office of the un. our Firm, which from this date will dersigned before 31st March 1869, other-

N. MODY & Co. Hongkong, January 12, 1868. 2d. ja27 For Sale.

MISS GARRETT Has just landed ex "Cissy" and late Arrivals.

ROQUET, PATCHESI, SQUAILS and LOTTO, Rocking HORSES, DOLLS in great variety, Magic TOYS, HOOPS, DRUMS, UNS, PISTOLS, SWORDS, SHUTTLECOCKS, Noiseless BATTLE-DORES, and SHUTTLECOCKS, and variety of other TOYS.

Leather Foot BALLS, with spare Indian-Rubbers. VELVETEENS and SERGES, &c.

-Hongkong, January 6, 1869. BONNETT & Co.

AVE received by latest arrivals. Racing SADDLERY, JACKETS, CAPS, white ChOT for Riding Breeches, BOOT TOPS, Racing SPUR-, &c., &c. Horse RUGS, and an assortment of general SADDLLRY

Ladies' HATS, WREATHS, Jet JEW. ELLERY, &c. Gentlemen's SCARFS, and colored and white Kid Gloves. 1, Wyndham Street.

Hongkong, January 2, 1869. Ex "Mikado," and "Whitehall,"

AS received a Choice Selection of French and English Fancy GOODS, suitable for BIRTHDAY and CHRISTMAS PRE-SENTS, also TOYS, in great variety. Quilting, Serges, Reps, plain and printed plannets, Frints, Calicos, Merino, and all the newest designs in Woollen GOUDS. Blankets, Huckaback and Turkish Towlling, Bath Blankets, &c., &c.

MISS ROSE

And, per last Overland Muil, Ladies' & Children's Hats and Bonnets. Silk Velvet, Velveteen, and Cloth Jackets; in the latest styles. WELLINGTON STREET

Opposite the Catholic Chapel. Hongkong, December 8, 1868.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION. JAPANESE WARE ANE CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on

WEDNESDAY, 20th inst., at 2 P.M.,__ The following Japanese WARE, viz:-Lacquered and Inlaid Cabinets, Glove Boxes, Fancy Boxes, Embroidery and Cigar Cases, Tortoise-shell Card Dishes, Crystal Necklaces, and Brooches, Fishing Rods,

A fine assortment of Bronzes. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 18, 1869. ja20

WANTED ON BOTTOMRY. BOUT Five Thousand and five Hundred DULLARS on the hull of the British brig "Aurora." Applications will be received until Two

o'clock P.M. To-morrow, TUESDAY, the 19th instant. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, January 18, 1869. 'SIR HENRY HAVELOCK," FROM

LUNDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. Hongkong, January 18, 1869,

WANTED. TOR the General Mess on board H. M. Troop-ship "Adventure."-A Good Persons applying must have a thorough knowledge of their work,

Apply on Board. Hongkoug, January 8, 1869.

BILLIARDS, BOWLS, AND

HE URIENTAL BAR, BILLIARD ROOMS, and Bowling Alleys, having been enlarged and fitted up in a very superior comber. The profits after deducting the style unequalled by any in the Colony, the said Interest to be applied thus :- 20 per | Proprietors Re-open the above on Monday, cent, pro rata, amongst such of the share- | the 11th January, 1869, to their friends and the public, and trust with civility, fluenced business to the Company, and Good Liquors and the well-known rethe remainder in forming a Reserve Fund | putation of this old-established House, to merit a share of their patronage. There are three first class Billiard Tables in large airy and well-lighted room. The Bowling Alley needs no comment. BROWN & Co.

Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. A. WHEELER begs to announce to his patrons and the public generally, that he has removed to No. 26, Queen's Road Central, (opposite LANE, CRAWFORD & Co's.) where he hopes by attention to business to receive a continuance of their

I HE interest and responsibility of Mr. GEORG WILHELM SCHWEMANN and of

Mr Rudolph Heinsen in our firm ceased on the 31st December 18.7, and 31st Dec-Mr FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr Heinkich Hopfius have this day been admitted partners in our firm at Hongkong and in China, which now consists of Mr Georg THEODOR SIEMSSEN, Mr WOLDINAR NIS-BEN, Mr ADOLPH JOOST, Mr FERDINAND

NISSEN and Mr HEINRICH HOPPIUS. SIEMSSEN& Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

L'MPLOYMENT WANTED, by a young I MAN, (English) aged 30, of business habits, and several years experience in 280 tons coal. Nov. 7, Nellie Chapin, Per Ariatoon Apear, on Thursday, the Agents Bombay Mody Insurance Co. | Hongkong. Apply by letter, "A. B. C.," | Care of Office of this Paper, Hongkong, December 26, 1868,

New Advertisements.

THE HONGKUNG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBUAT COMPANY LIMITED.

HE Ordinary Half yearly MEETING of 1 Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Office of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 20th day of January next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of recuiving the statement of accounts with the Report of the Directors, and of declaring a Dividend. By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co.

General Agents. Hongkong, December 28, 1868.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAU STEAM-BOAT COMPANY LIMITED. Sept State of the bear

NOTICE. HE Transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 4th day to the 19th day of January next inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co. General Agents.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, December 23, 1868.

LL Orders for Goods Supplied to or M work done for the Hotel must be signed by the Secretary of the Company. The Company will not undertake to pay for any Goods Supplied without such

By order of the Board of Directors, C. LANGDON DAVIES, Secretary. Hongkong, November 27, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL. HIS HOTEL will be conducted under a rangement commencing on the 1st of December. The Charges for Board will remain as follow :---

Board, \$45 a month. Tiffin only, \$15 a month Dinners only, \$30 a month. One Breakfast or one Tiffin, 80 cents. One Dinner, \$1.25. There is an excellent assortment of wines for sale at moderate prices. The Charges for Lodging will be very

considerably reduced. Rooms are offered to monthly lodgers at \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40 or \$45, a month. Occasional Visitors are charged \$4 a day for their Rooms with or without board. There is an ample supply of Bathrooms, and Gas is laid on throughout the house.

SAIL-MAKING. L'AWCETT & Co., having secured services of an experienced Sail-Maker are prepared to MAKE or REPAIR SAILS a very reasonable rates.

Hongkong, November 28, 1868.

Hongkong, December 10, 1868.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANGHI STEAM BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and Ship Masters that he is prepared to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD

in various forms, to any part of the Co-Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice. Also Nater, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY

CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR. FLOUR of best Brands constantly on Mauritius, and between Mauritius and hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or CAKE of all kinds baked to order.

The above is under the superintendence | whence it will be sent to its destination by of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders the French Mail Packets leaving Aden for Messrs MacEwen & Co.'s will receive | Month prompt attention.

L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868,

FOR SALE. I HE Copyright and Plant of the Shanghai Recorder, Daily Newspaper, and Supreme Court and Consular ! Gazette Weekly Newspaper, or one-half interest in tije same.

Tenders to be received on or before the 20th instant. For particulars, apply at the Shanghai, 5th December, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVAL Jan. 18, Channel Queen, British ship, Jan. 18. Sir Henry Hav-lock, Brit. barq.

460, Pickthall, London, Aug. 16, General -Ray & Co. Jan. 18, Madayascar, ustrian barque, 533, G. Protte, Saigou, Dec. 9, General .-

tf | Melohers & Co. Jan. 18, Stad Oldensaal, Dutch schooner, General Post Office, Hongkong, 241, J. Hoogterp, Rotterdam via Batavia, July 12, General - W.M. PUSTAU & Co. Jan. 18, Golden Fleece, American ship, 1,500, C. L. Willcomb, San Francisco,

Dec. 6, General.—Russell & Co. Jan. 18, Anne Porter, British brig, 234 J. Davey, Chefoo, Jan. 6, Beans.—Order. CLEARED.

Elise, for Yokohama. China, for Canton. Vision, for Singapore. United Service, for Shanghai, SYDNEY SHIPPING.

(From the Herald, Dec. 4.) ARRIVAL .- Nov. 15, Amber Witch, barq., 338, La Perrice, from Foochow. DEPARTURES. - For Shanghai, -Nov. 7, Dundonald, ship, 591, Kewley; 17, Day Dawn, barque, 398, Sustenance; 18, Anne Richmond, barque, 694, Gibbs. For Hongkong,-Nov. 11, Colleen Bawn, barque, 387. Allen For Ilo Ilo --- Nov. 19, Ary Scheffer, barque, 638, Kunst. For Ningpo,

-Nov. 15, Emma, brig, 167, Elie. Departures from Newcastle. Nov. 6, Rosario, Monzeau, for Saigon, with Nass, for Hongkong, with 800 tons coal. 21st instant, at 2 P.M. Nov. 28, M. W. Sass, Arentzon, for Hongkoog, with 460 tons coal. Nov. 25, day, the 20th Instant, at 5 a.m.

Salacia, Stewart, for Yokohama, with 604 tons coal. Dec. 1, Charles Lottie, Paty, for Hongkong, with 560 tons coal; Polar Star, Williams, for Hongkong, with 505

tons coal. VESSELS LOADING.—For Hongkong, Aurifera, barque, 430, M'Eachern. For Shanghai, Lubra, schooner, 302, Percival.

CARGO. Ex " Orissa." Malwa Opium for Hongkong, 305 1-chests. ,, Shanghai,

1034 bales. Cotton, SPECIE,— From England to Hongkong, £24,687

Shanghai.

Bengal Opium for Amoy,

From Australia to

CUTTA,—

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WILL CLOSE:-For YOKOHAMA,-

Per "THALES," on Wednesday, the

20th Instant, at 4 a.m. For MANILA,-Per "NUEVO CONSTANTE," Tuesday, the 19th instant, at 3 P.M. For S'PORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA.-Per "CLAN ALPINE," on Thursday, the 21st instaut, at 1 P.M. For SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CAL-

Per "ARRATOON APCAR," on Thursday, the 21st instant, at 1 P.M. For YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, & the U.S. of AMERICA generally,-Per the P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steam-ship

"CHINA," at 2 o'clock P.M., on Tuesday, the 19th instant. All correspondence intended to be forwarded by this opportunity must be superscribed per "CHINA

The postage must be prepaid as follows: FOR A LETTER. Under & ounce. 8 cents. Above I ounce and not exceeding 1 ounce. Above I ounce and not exceeding 1 ounce, 24 Above 11 ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces, . . . 32

Newspapers or Prices Current, 2 cents Under the convention recently concludcorrespondence forwarded as above will be delivered free at the places of its

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F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, January 8, 1869.

T is hereby notified that, under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant dated the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not exceeding half-an-ounce in weight posted in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or any of the Ports in China and Japan, and conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve

For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for each half ounce is chargeable. Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, July 15, 1868. 1. It is hereby notified for general in formation that, the Contract between the Government of Mauritius and the Union Steam-ship Company, for the Conveyance of Mails once a Month between Ceylon and Natal, having terminated, the correspondence for Mauritius will be forwarded from this Office in the Mail for Aden, from

forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Reunion and Mauritius on the 23rd of each 2. No alteration has been made in the rates of Postage on correspondence ad dressed to Mauritius. 3. As the communication with Natal and

the Cape of Good Hope is thus cut off, the correspondence for those Colonies, unless dente, with delightful geographical igmarked to be forwarded by Private Ship. will, in future, be sent in the Mails for London at the following rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance, viz :-

Upon Letters sent by way of Southampton, 46 cents each \frac{1}{2} oz. When sent by way of Newspaper via Southam-

pton,..... 4 Newspapers via Marseilles, 6 Book Packets via Southampton,.....10 ,, under oz., 20 cents, above 4 oz. and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 20 cents for every

additional 8 oz. Book Packets via Marseilles, 14 cents under 4 oz.; 28 cents above for and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 28 cents for every and of the Echo do Povo. additional 8 ounces. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General,

9th September, 1868. It is hereby notified that, under the authority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st May last, Superintending, or First-Class Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, be entitled to the same privileges in regard to Letters sent by or addressed to them on their own private affairs as are at present. Mail published that £2,000 sterling had enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the Army; and all Army Schoolmistresses will the Annamite question, without, as was its be entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all duty, stating by whom this amount was sent, privileges, in regard to their Letters, are enjoyed by non-commissioned Officers and Private Soldiers.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, July 31, 1868,

UNDER DESPATCH. For Manila .- Per Nuevo Constante, of Tuesday, the 19th instant, at 4 P.M. For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta. Per Clan Alpine, on Thursday, the 21st of the Macao coolie trade, and to accept For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.

For Yokohama.—Per Thales, on Wedness

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Hongkong, 18th January, 1869. OPIUM.—Patna, New,... \$6411 Benares, New, Molwa, COTTON.—CALOUTIA, Bombay, $17 \ a \ 21\frac{7}{4}$ Shanghae, ... $19 \ a \ 20$ Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight, On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 222 "Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 222 "Shanghae, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 741 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 9 nominal. ... 6.50 a 7.00 -English Sovereigns, Australian Sovereigns, Discount, 9 a 10 H. & W. Dock, Old, 4 a 6 p. c. dis.; New, H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 26 p. c. p. do, New, Union Dock ... Temperature. Hongkong, 18th January, 1869. Taken at Messrs Fulconer & Co.'s Premises. Queen's Road.) THERMOMETER-9 A.M., Dry, . . . 4 P.M., Dry, Self-registered Maximum, Min. over night.

MORRIS'S DIRECTORY CHINA, JAPAN THE PHILIPPINES, &c.,

BAROMETER, 9 A.M.,

1869. THE above Work is now PUB. LISHED and READY FOR CIR. CULATION. Apply to

JOHN B. MORRIS. Messrs Bowra & Co. Queen's Road. Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

BRINTING of every description executed at the "China Mail" Office with accuracy, neatness, punctuality, and at reasonable charges, by CHARLES A. SAINT.

PRICE 50 CENTS. TABLE showing the Proposed Movements of the Mail Steam Packets of the P. & O. Company for the Year 1869, as approved by Her Majesty's Postmaster To be had at the China Mail Office,

Wyndham Street. Hongkong, December 26, 1868. Notice - It is particularly requested that all communications relating to the general business of this paper be addressed to the Proprietor and in no case to individuals by name. Much delay and inconvenience in the transaction of business will thereby be

BIRTH. At Hongkong, on the 17th Instant, the wife of John Rickett, Esq., of a Daughter.

DEATH. December 1st, at Barnsbury Park, London, Mabel Lucie, the youngest daughter Wilberforce Wilson, Esq., Surveyor General, aged 11 months.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JAN. 18, 1869.

THE CHINA MAIL.

THE little Independente of Macao is again in hysterics over the China Mail. The chief cause of grief this time appears to be that in an editorial article quoted from the Melbourne Argus, a Victorian paper (not Tasmanian, as the Indepennorance, supposes) the proprietor of this journal was alluded to as a person of "influence and respectability" in that Colony. The Independents is naturally very wroth, and quotes our last article on itself, which scarcely gave the satisfaction we had anticipated. However, the Independente plunges again into the coolie trade, and cannot see the difference between men stolen, or seduced from their homes, branded like cattle, and ill-treated to death, and free Chinese who choose, without any artificial inducement held out to them by interested agents, to take passage to Australia under no engagement. Seven pages are devoted to more or less abuse of the China Mail

accused it of being a Government organ, but considering we are now being prosecuted by that Government for having (as it alleges) said that £2,000 were sent as a bribe to ex-Governor Amaral, we readily concede that the following is not inspired :---

On one point we owe an apology to

the Independente. We, inferentially,

or for whom it was destined." We wish the Macao Government joy of its defender! Governor Ameral is, perhaps, the most to be pitied, for it is his name that has been the most unwarrantably used by his professed friends in an attempt to do-that which most Englishmen in any part of the world invariably resist. It would have been a pleasant thing, no doubt, to put a padlock on the lips of any person who was confident enough to expose the iniquities the responsibility of doing so; but we really believe there is no person who, more than Sr. Amaral, regrets the course that has been adopted by the prosecution instituted in his name.

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of Heaven." The Emperor himself is a

youngster of fifteen, and is, personally,

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person represents a good deal to the

Chinese mind, and, if properly recorded,

would go far towards putting a stop to

outrages which are committed under the

belief that the central Government will

not interfere to punish them if they can

help it. It would doubtless be better

policy to insist upon our Minister at

Peking receiving precisely the same

treatment as has been extended to the

Chinese envoy in London; and we shall

be considerably surprised if some such

step be not taken. Meantime the visit

of the Duke of Edinburgh will afford an

opportunity for setting the question of

receptions at rest, and, we hope, of stipu-

lating for a different treatment of H. M.

WE have received a copy of the Report

of the Directors of the Hongkong,

Canton and Macao Steam-boat Company,

Limited, and are glad to observe that it

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THE appointment of a British Consul at

Saigon, as announced in the last London

both to our French neighbours and to

British merchants in the far East. To

the former it is an acknowledgment of

the rising importance of the Cambodian

settlement, while it will smooth the way

in many transactions for such of the

commercial community as are interested

in trade at that port. As we do not

observe the name of Mr Caswell, the

Consul elect, in the Saigon Directory, we

may conclude that he will be placed

upon the same footing as Her Majesty's

Consuls in China, and we presume under

the instructions of H. M.'s Minister in

China. As accredited not to a native

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su mmary of news given by the London MR Theophilus Gee Linstead is officiand China Herald regarding the Burally recognised as Acting Consul for Belgium, from the 9th instant, hand by the American papers were, it

WE learn that Bishop Guillemin of Canton visited the Island of San Juan on Thursday last, in a Chinese gunboat, in order to inthe English papers furnish us with so spect the trogress made in the Chapel now building there: He will return this week, and will shortly notify the day upon which lev's utterances on the occasion as was the consecration will take place.

THE Saturday's Gazette notifies, that the BAYS our London contemporary, "We average amount of Bank Notes in Hongkong, during the month ending 31st December, 1868, was as follows:

AVERAGE SPECIE IN treaty will be made until after the Oriental Corporation,..\$495,732 \$165,244 Prince's visit." This, if true, may effect | C. M. of I., L. and C., 399,709 150,000 a most important modification of our C. of I., Aus. and C.,.. 291,465 100,000 existing relations with the Peking Go- H. and S. Banking Cor. 858,567 400,000

Total,.....\$2,045,473 \$815,244

THE following Government Notification appears in Saturday's Gazette:-

Her Majesty's Consul at Manila having forwarded to this Government a Translation approach to a "concession," would be of the 3rd, 4th, and 6th Articles of a Royal good policy. But even should the Prince Decree in reference to the admission and residence of Foreigners in the Territory of the Philippines, His Excellency The Gover-nor has been pleased to order publication thereof for the information of all whom it

His Excellency has also been pleased to reception itself will be turned to account direct it to be notified that all applications by the astute Pekingese, to shew that a for Passports should be addressed to the Colonial Secretary at least 24 hours before they are required, and that all Passports for the Philippine Islands will require to be vised by the Spanish Consul residing at Hongkong.—By Command, J GARDINER Austin. Colonial Secretary. - Colonial Secretary's flice. Hongkong, 15th January,

> DECREE No. 815, chapter 1.—On the admission and residence of Foreigners in the Territory of the Philippines.

Article 3.—Every Foreigner desirous of entering the Territory of the Philippine Isles, must present his Passport at the first port at which he arrives vised by the Diplomatic or Consular Agent of the Spanish Government to whom it may correspond according to the place whence he proceeds, or some other analogous document equivalent to the same by the Police Regulation in force, which shall identify his person.

Article 4.—The Foreigner who on his arrival within the Territory of the Islands shall fail to present his Passport or some other document which identifies his person will remain under the surveillance of the authorities and be detained, until his lega position be ascertained. The competent authorities will decide whether he shall b expelled as a vagabond, or confined, or remitted to a third power as a politica emigrant ; obliging him, in the last case, he presented himself with arms, to deliver them up immediately that they may be re turned to the country whence he proceeded:

claims to 31st December last, a balance Article 6.—The Foreigner established in the Philippine Isles, who shall not compl of \$71,372.20 remains. Of this \$2,273.55 with the obligation of registering himself a the corresponding Provincial Government penses, \$26,000 is recommended to be and at the Consular Agency of his nation placed to the Reserve and Depreciation if there be any, shall forfeit all rights with Fund, and the sum of \$33,750 to be respect to any claim or petition made in his appropriated as dividend at 12 per cent. favour by the Consulates of his country, on the paid-up capital. Of the remainand if he should resolutely refuse to register himself, he shall be treated as a vagabond, ing sum \$4,000 is proposed to be approand shall not be permitted in any case to priated to the remnneration of the Dicontinue his residence in the Territory of rectors, and \$5,348.65 to be carried to the Islands.

The company has earned the respect TEH Ceulon Examiner remarks:—The profits of the public not less by the clear desire from the Railway are exceeding our most. sauguine expectations. At the beginning than by its perseverance and willingness of the year we estimated the traffic returns to give propositions tending to increase for 1868 at £156,000. The official estimate its business a fair trial. Thus, although stood originally at £112,000, but this was afterwards raised to £135,000. The result up to the 1st instant has been £14,000, and by the 31st instant it cannot be less than less than in the first part of 1868. the £: 62.000. In our calculation we estimate that with £85,000 per annum of profits from the Railway and £55,000 Export duties, the debt in Debentures of £700,000, after providing for the sum due annually as interest, will be fully subscribed for six years hence. It must certainly form a very great | in looking into the facts of the case. drain on our resources, this £140,000 per |annum for the next seven years, mainly derived from the producing interest of the Colony, and there can be no question that pany. Should 1869 witness the extincit would be of great benefit to the island if tion of the loan account now standing at the payment of the debt were extended over a longer series of years. Indeed, as we have frequently said, Ceylon is expected to do what no Colony, nor country on the face of the globe has ever done before, namely, to pay some two millions, or twice her anuual revenue, for a grand trunk line of Railway within seventeen or eighteen and China Express to hand by yesterday's mail, will probably give great satisfaction

TO-DAY'S PULICE. Mr. May on the Bench. Monday is the great day for the "boozing" portion of the community. Those prought up for being "under the influence" in various stages, are as follow:-James capable and brought in a chair, \$0.50 fine. Davies, in charge of Post Office at Princess Charlotte, simple "drunk," fined 50 cents. --Francisco Aradia, seaman, refusal while drunk to pay chair, fined 50 cents. - James Barker, seaman unemployed, drunk, sent (through U. S. Consul) on board the Ameon board the Douglas, for being in "liquor" | the time of the Court very materially, in China. But we can scarcely doubt Devine, tavern-keeper, for having been drunk against the prisoner, Feroze was discharged. and while in that state having threatened that he will be instructed to keep him- him with a knife; fined 20/ or ten days' imself in occasional communication with prisonment.—Charles Olsen and Andreas an interest for those charged with poli- 5/ sach, and ordered to pay damages to the his seat in the Jury box. coolies. -John M'Donald, unemployed seaman, was charged with having been found

Charles Alien seaman of Unadilla, drunk | with a knife if she cried out. She was

and unfit for human food. In a firewood | and the constable stated that prisoner ad- £2.7/6. shop a little distance from the market, he mitted, when captured, that the little girl We are informed on undoubted authority the rebels came is probably that one which eat it, as he was in delicate health. Mr out in the case. Sharp endeavoured to prove that the pork was killed on the 15th, and that it was fit for human food on the 17th.—After some Mr May fined, defendant in the sum of incense-ornaments, &c., and with a pipe A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce the house, calling out to his wife. "Emily \$100, and ordered the pork to be destroyed and a chopper in his hand. This fact, has been held, at which matters of local in run for your life! I'm shot!" He

The defendant in the alleged tree-outting case was discharged, after a strict inquiry

Leong Afan, a shop-coolie living near the Kowloong Dock, was charged and convicted of the unlawful possession of an iron block belonging to the Union Dock Company. Mr May fined the prisoner £5, in default three months' hard labor.

> SUPREME COURT CRIMINAL SESSIONS. January 18, 1869.

(Before the CHIEF JUSTICE and a Jury.) The January Sessions were opened this morning shortly after ten o'clock, when roll of four cases only was posted. The following Jurors called failed to "answer to their names and save their fines," viz Messrs Thomas Hart, M. F. do Rozario, F. Goetz. and Thomas Wallace. Those who answered to their names were-Messra A. M'Leod, R. Deacon, R. Mitchell, J. P. Campos, J. A. da Costa, E. dos Remedios, and J. Campos. Mr Von Bergen, on being called, requested to be excused from serv ing on the ground that he was the only resident partner of his firm in the Colony The Chief Justice observed that, under these circumstances, and bearing in mind that the mail was being made up for Shanghai, Mr Bergen would be excused thi time. He did not see why the service on juries should be made more onerous than necessary. Mr Bergen, however, would understand that he would have to sit next

His Lordship remarked that it migh have been as well to adjourn the Session altogether, on account of the mail work. It was the business of this Court to suit the convenience of the Jury.—The Jury, however, preferred to go on, upon being told that it would be a very short session THE ROWLOONG DOCK CASE.

Hadiee Feroze, colored watchman at the Union Dock at Kowloong, was charged with, and pleaded not guilty to, having killed and slain a Chinaman at the suid dock, on the night of the 13th or morning of the 14th December last.

Prisoner, while pleading, stated that he sleaded "guilty to having shot a thief, but did not admit the shooting to be

The Attorney General stated that, as the prisoner himself had said. Feroze was guilty of having shot a thief. The case had gone before the Coroner, and, under that officer's direction the Coroner's Jury had returned a verdict of manslaughter: the case had been further investigated before the Magistrate; a d he had taken great care therefore thought that he would better consult the interests of justice by not producing any evidence whatever. Even were the facts produced in evidence, it would be merely a case of pardon.

His Lordship observed that the Attorne Jeneral had exercised his constitutions luties in the most proper manner. Al though the Attorney General had, as grand Jury, the duty of filing a bill, he at the same time had the consequences also to consider in reference to the public; and this case appeared, after a long investigation, to be one of those cases in which the Attornev General could well exercise his discretion. From what he had seen of the evidence, it appeared that prisoner had certainly shot and killed the Chinaman, but it was also clear that it was cone with th intention of preventing the Chinaman's es cape while robbery was going on, and not Gallagher, seaman Princess Charlotte, in- with the intention of killing anybody, Even had the case been proceeded with, it Peter Evans. Princess Charlotte, brought | would have been his duty to have directed drunk in a chair, fined 50 cents. - James | the Jury that such would have been suf-

The Attorney General here said that the Coroner's depositions were backed, "while in act of committing a felony." His Lordship observed that he, as Judge,

thought that the Attorney General had rican shin Sea Scipent.-James Fain, cook | done quite right, and he had thus saved and making a row in a brothel, fined 40/ or | The Jury then, as directed, returned a 21 days' imprisonment - Fritz Kleitz, un- | verdict of not guilty on behalf of the priemployed seaman, was charged by Robert | soner; and as no other charge was atanding

ved. he was requested to take the seat of Peking in view of the fact that the Petersen, of Helena Ward, drunk, refusal Mr Campos, if he did not prefer to pay his OHILD STEALING.

Lee Assam was charged with having for- the water. lying down destitute of any means of cibly taken away a female child named Lee "contempt of Court." Verily (remarks ley, drunk in a chair; fined 75 cents. and the adopted girl in question (eleven line until the sesson sets in for going North the Observer) the dignity of our young Manuel Mandoza, Peruvian, drunk and years of age.) On the day stated, this little when she will again take her old place. magistrates is easily light! Will you go violent in a brothel; fined \$1 50. —John girl was seen by a woman to be seized while to arbitration in this case?" quoth the Johnson, gambling-house watchman, dead- cow-herding, by the prisoner, and carried dock; but has merely gone in to have her Magistrate. "No," saith the suitor. drunk; fined 50 cents.—John Stephens, away, being gagged with a handkerchief. bottom cleaned and painted. "You must go to arbitration, Sir." "I unemployed seaman, lying down in the From the statement of the little girl (who can't, I want to go to trial." "You are street in a completely helpless state; find gave her evidence most fearlessly, clearly Queen, were so severely frost-bitten as to fined LI for contempt of Court | " Com- fifty cents. - "homas Chancellor, unemploy- and forcibly almost to a fault) it appeared necessitate their immediate removal to the ed. drunk and incapable; fined 50 cents. that the prisoner threatened the little girl General Hospital,

and incapable; fined 50 cents.—Jose Eloi- | taken to Sowkewan, where she was consa, seaman of America, drunken assault; cealed in a cave under a guard; and after- the embryo Bible Association. The step is, so terrible as this. wards taken to a house in Hongkong. A butcher named Leong Atick, was Money was asked from her, but she was much favour. The Temperance Society now charged by Inspector Burton, with having subsequently released without the payment numbers thirty nine members. exposed for sale pork while in an unsound of any money. The girl, however, was, state and unfit for human food. Mr Sharp | away five days. Prisoner was captured by appeared for defendant.—It appeared from Sergeant Gowan, after a chase of two hours to the effect that a considerable business is the evidence that the Inspector yesterday | (about seven miles) over the hills near the still doing in Tea, chiefly for the Colonies, found the pork in the Sayingpoon market: Sowkewan road, during which two or three at advancing prices (as usual). The Beemah he thought it had not been killed in the rests, were taken by the pursuer and the is full and the James Shepherd and Peter-

entrails and liver, &c. While arranging to the clearness of the evidence, the Jury re- arrived from Pessing at the Taotai's Yamen. have these carried away, they disappeared, | turned a verdict of guilty; and his Lordand all upon which the inspector could ship called upon Mr Douglas, Gaol Go- Consulate on the 11th Jan. for the purpose proceed, therefore, was that portion found vernor, to throw some light upon the of enquiring into the capability of the Masin the market. In reply to Mr Sharp, the character of the prisoner. This consisted ter and Officers of the Lady Louisa. The six miles from the settlement of Turaninspector said that pork in this weather of a previous conviction for a similar crew had refused duty alleging the incom- ganui. would keep for four or five days, if properly offence. His Worship then passed sen- petency of officers as announced by us on slaughtered.—An interpreting constable tence upon the prisoner, of three years' the 7th inst. The Court adjourned till named Wong Ayow said that he had seen penal servitude; he was sorry there was no next day. the meat, and it smelt badly : it might be corporal punishment for the offence of child good enough for coolies, but he would not stealing under the circumstances as brought

Wong Sing Fook was charged with burfined in the sum of \$2 for having given false | was burglariously robbed early that morn- | eign concession. evidence in a case of alleged tree-cutting. | ing, that the very articles, found on the prisoner were stolen from this house, and that some of the articles were found secretinto the truth (or otherwise) of the P. C.'s ed about the person of the prisonerproved that prisoner was very nearly connected with the burglary,

a verdict of guilty of unlawful possession; and Mr Douglas having shown that the prisoner had been four years in Gaol before, the Judge sentenced prisoner to five years' penal servitude.

LARCENY FROM MR STOREY'S HOUSE. stolen from Mr Storey, architect, on the the Harbour to vessels, (strangers especial- obstinately refused to attempt to save her 4th day of December 1864, valuable pro- ly), which arrive at the anchorage at, or own life. When the boy last saw Major perty, consisting of money and jewellery. after nightfall. This is of course but a small Biggs and the women, Mrs. Biggs was stand-This case was fully reported a short time matter compared with the efficient lighting ing by her husband, with the child in her but one of the peculiar features of the and we must not be too impatient for minor case was that the prisoner was placed before the Magistrate on that very day four | will doubtless follow in due course. years after the robbery. Prisoner had never been recognised during the four years

-Paug Afook, messenger to the Surveyor | Dues and that has succeeded in obtaining General's Department—failed to appear in the Imperial authorization for the expendi-Court ; and the Attorney General asked ture of the whole of that sum, amounting that this witness's recognisances should be to about Tls. 300,000 per annum,

His Lordship said that, according to the | China. latest decision by the highest authority (in Mr Pollard's case) no man could be fined without being previously called upon to show causet why he should not be so fined. He (his Lordship) could not see where it would end; and he would be glad if the Attorney General would show him how he could estreat this man's recog nisance in his absence, in the face of the decision in Mr Pollard's case.

The Attorney General remarked that this case was slightly different from that referred to. The fine here was a forfeiture to this Court, and was a condition of the recognisance; but as there might be some reason for the absence of this witness, he would be very sorry that no notice should

His Lordship therefore instructed Hazeland to serve notice upon the absent The deposition of the absent witness

according to Ordinance, was then read which closed the case for the prosecution. Prisoner denied the charge, but admitted having been a short time in the employ of Mr Storey. On his behalf, a cook was produced who swore that prisoner was in the employ of Mr. S. W. Baker on the 4th Dec. 1864, the day of the robbery.

Mr Baker having been sent for, states that prisoner was in his employ for eigh teen months, and left about two years ago He went away without leave rather than appear as a witness in a larceny case against another boy. Mr Baker added that he did not think prisoner was in his employ in

A-Seong, Mr Baker's house-boy, was then called and deposed that he had lived 8 or years in his present employ; knew the prisoner and was certain that he came to Mr Baker's about December, 1864, and remained about 18 months in his employ. Had not heard of the charge against pri soner. Upon further question this witness could not accurately state the date when prisoner entered Mr Baker's employ.

The representative of Messrs Melchers & Co. being called, stated that prisoner had been over two years in their employ. The Compradore of the firm was the sent for, and the Court was awaiting his arrival when our reporter left.

Verdict-not guilty, unanimously.

THE NORTH

The Rodney is under sailing orders for Hongkong, where she is to be stationed for some time : finally, we believe, to accompany the Admiral to meet the Duke of Edinburgh on his approach to Eastern shores. She will leave on Wednesday the 13th inst. Whilst the chief officer of a vessel now in port was accompanying an officer of the Zebra in a sampan to his ship on the night of the 9th inst., they were suddenly attacked by five armed Chinese in a boat. Notwithstanding the able defence made by the Europeans they say that from the nature Mr Thomas Wallace, juror, baying arri- of the attack, and the determined manner in which it was carried on, they would undoubtedly have been injured, as they were to pay chair and assaulting the police; fined fine; when Mr Wallace preferred to take totally unarmed, but for the sudden capsizing of the Chinese boat, which placed the would-be robbers, perhaps murderers, in

The Steamer Sze chuen hauled out from the "Contempts of Court" seem to be common subsistence or place of abode; prisoner Hing-choy from her adopted parents, in Old Dock on Saturday afternoon, where she in the East. In the Colombo Supreme said he had been employed as fireman in Kowloong on the 5th January current. It has undergone very extensive repairs; hav-Court, Mr Justice Stewart sat lately for the the Semiramis during the Abyssinian Ex- appears that Lee Ah-Sam is the master ing been newly sheathed and coppered, di posal of Appeals. There were one or pedition; relieved from the poor-box. quarrier at a stone-quarry, Kowloong, and her engines thouroughly overhauled. two from out-stations against fines for James Sheal, carpenter on board the Shir- where he lives with his wife, two children She is, we believe, going on the Ningpo The Chih-li has taken her place in the

Two Malays, watchmen on board the Sea

however, not generally looked on with

usual way, and he swore it was then tainted fugitive. Prisoner was clearly identified, | borough are loading for London. Freight

A Naval Court was held at H. B. M.'s

(N. C. D. News.) The New York brings very little news from Japan beyond an account of races held at Hiogo on the 25th ulto., in which we do not find that any well known Chinese ponies took part. Some Athletic Sports that were The boy, Charles James, who is the only one evidence on defendant's part, Inspector glary and unlawful possession of stolen to have followed the races, do not seem to Grey was called, who stated that yesterday goods. It appears that the prisoner was have filled. The Hiogo Herald mentions a the meat was tainted and had the appear- caught by a constable early one morning, rumour that hostilities have broken out beance of never having been slaughtered. carrying off quickly a mat-bag containing tween the Princes of Satsuma and Hiego. fired, wounding him severely. He ran into. together with the other facts—that an old terest only were discussed. A fire has oc asked the lad where the gun was. Jumman Khan, P. O. 411 (Sikh), was | woman's house (near the Sing-ping Theatre) | purred at Osaka, but did not affect the for- | boy replied the gun was not loaded, and

(Evening Express.) Our present energetic Harbour Master,

improving the entrance to the Port, as far | they could find about. They kindled a After evidence taken, the Jury returned ed, that we feel sure a suggestion which has ing by her wounded husband all the time been thrown out to us by a Nautical corres- with the child in her arms. Major pondent will, if on examination it should Biggs now implored his wife to fly for be proved advisable, meet with prompt at- her life, but she heroically expressed her tention at his hands. We allude to the determination to remain by him till the last. Harbour Master's lower Hulk, and think that a red light shown there would be ex-Pang Akow was charged with having tremely useful to mark the outer limits of termined to remain with her mistress, and back, and need not now be repeated; of the mouth of the River and adjacent coast, improvement in matters of detail, which

Mr Hart has endeavoured for some time past to persuade the Tsung-li Yamen to One of the witnesses for the prosecution take the only just view of the Tonnage improvements in the navigable waters of

ARRIVAL OF THE ENG-LISH MAIL

The P. & O. steamer Orissa arrived yes. terday afternoon, bringing the London mail of Dec. 4th, and telegrams to 28th December. The Orissa brings 1,019 bales Cotton, 308 chests Opium, and £24,688 in in dollars for Hongkong, and 764 chests Opium for Shanghai. Her dates are Bombay 25th Dec., Galle 31st Dec., Penang 7th January, and Singapore 9th January. The telegrams by the Clan Alvine antici

pated for the most part those brought by the mail. We see by the Indian papers. that Mr Gladstone does not intend to displace Lord Mayo in the Vicerovalty of In-The subjoined Telegrams are dated

20th Dec.-The Morning Post denies the widespread rumour that the Government has decided to recall Earl Mayo, and to appoint the Marquis of Salisbury Governor General of India. The great European Powers are endeavouring to prevent a conflict between Turkey and Greece. 21st Dec.—The situation of Greece and

Turkey remains unchanged. The Moniteur says that the Powers of Europe continue to act unitedly in favor of conciliation. Latest advices state that Turkey has raised the blockade of Piracus. The expulsion of Greeks from Roumania and Servia has been declared impracticable. Upon the intervention of the French Commander masses of people have been permitted to proceed to Athens. Latest advices from Spain state that the Elections have commenced, and that tranquillity prevails.

23rd Dec. - : atest continental telegrams announce that Russia and Prussia have proposed to hold a conference for the purpose of settling the difficulty at present existing between Turkey and Greece. period fixed for the expulsion of the Greeks from Turkey has been extended to thirty

24th Dec.—Parliament will reassemble on the 6th February. Gifford has been appointed Chief Justice, and Mr James has been appointed his successor.

28th Dec. - Latest advices state that Sublime t'orte has informed the Great European Powers that Turkey is prepared to ioin the Conference on certain conditions The Turks had demanded the surrender of the steamer Eoussis, the Greeks had refused to do so, and sunk the vessel. Sir Richard

THE WAR IN NEW ZEALAND HORRIBLE MASSACRE AT POVERTY BAY, Since our last summary of news dis strous intelligence has reached us from Poverty Bay; between fifty and v the fanatical Hau Haus. The news by her heroic son Jemmy, a boy of eight rom l'atea, too, is of a gloomy nature, as years old, who supplied her with some eggs redoubts hitherto thought to be sufficiently and a few potatoes. The brave boy, when strong to resist an ordinary siege have been found by a party of ours, had a card upon

(Auckland) and other journa's, the details of the unfortunate occurrences.

THE MASSACRE AT POVERTY BAY. On Tuesday, November 10, before dawn, the Poverty Bay settlements were attacked, and thirty-five persons-men, women and children-were indiscriminately massacred. Twenty are missing, three of whom-Messrs Scott, Poynton, and Kompthorne (the latter a son of Mr S. Kempthorne, of Parnell)—are believed to have been killed. Neither sex nor age has been spared, the returned prisoners from the Chatham Islands having killed every one that they could reach. The flocks and herds of the settlers are destroyed, their homesteads and dwellings burned to the ground, and one of the finest, if not the very finest district in New Zealand is entirely devastated, was his ready answer.

We hear it stated that it is intended to | Many a sad and awful story have we had amalgamate the Temperance Society with to tell within the last five years, but none

How the natives came into the Poverty Bay district is not known certainly, but neither Europeans nor natives had had the slightest warning or alarm. There had been Foochow advices to hand per Dragon are no preparation made for defence, and the settlers were all living, with their wives and children, at their scattered homesteads. The settlers believed that the rebels were miles and miles away, and on retiring to rest each of them spoke hopefully of his that the New Regulations for the Mixed leads into the valley across Messrs. Dodd under some baskets, together with the The Chief Justice having remarked upon Court with a Commission for Chen, have and Peppard's run. They then in all likelihood crossed the Putatahi ford, coming down the side of the Waipaoa stream till they crossed it opposite Major Bigga's

Shortly after 3 o'clock, about an hour

before the dawn-a favourite time with the

Maories for surprises-Major Biggs appears

to have been awakened by hearing Maories outside the house. Supposing them to be some of the friendly scouts that had been sent out to discover the whereabouts of the Hau Haus, he accosted them in Maori. that has escaped to tell the tale, says that the Major seemed to be questioning the the major seized the weapon and was in the act of loading it, when he was again fired at, and he fell. The natives appear Master, has, during his short term of office, to have rushed into the house, and comshown himself so thoroughly desirous of menced to devour whatever provisions as Lights, Buoys, and Beacons are concern- fire in the house, poor Mrs. Biggs standabsence of any distinguishing light on the With true womanly sympathy, she in turn begged the servant to make her escape while there was yet time; but the servant had dearms, crying, while the servant also stood close by. We may mention that Mrs. Biggs repeatedly told her neighbours that if anything happened she would die with her husband. The boy, seeing that the front was crowded with Maories, ran to the back, but they were there also, and coming again to the front, he crawled below a platform, and got into a flax bush, and thence into the scrub. Lingering for some time near the spot, he saw a native-no doubt recognisupon | ing their old pursuer-standing over Major Biggs, and beating out his brains with the butt-end of his musket.

The house of Lieutenant Wilson is a little farther up, about two or three paddocks distant, and probably another party attacked it at the same time as Major Biggs's house was attacked. The same boy, Charles James, whilst crouching in the scrub, heard a volley at Lieutenant Wilson's house. and in a few seconds the flames burst out, and every part of it was burning,

It seems the first house the Hau Haus came to was that of Mr. Dodd and Peppard, both of whom were killed, as well as two men'in their employment. Sergeant-major Butter was the first to discover what had happened here. He reached the woolshed between 4 and 5 o'clock on that morning, he having engaged to shear there. The house was 400 yards off, and seeing no movement there, he walked, over to it. When he reached it the dogs were barking furiously. Passing by them to the back of the building, he saw Mr. Dodd and Mr. Peppard both lying dead, shot, the latter lying across the door-way. He immediately returned to the shed, took his carbine, and rode over to Warangaheka, to warn Atkins and his wife, also a shearer named Spence. He then fired off his piece as a warning to

The man Atkins, mentioned above, proceeded to the house of Major Biggs, and saw Major Biggs lying dead on a platform that connected the dwelling-house with the kitchen, shot, but so much mutilated with tomahawks that he could not be recognised from his features. Mrs Biggs was lying inside the house; her child, with its brains dashed out, clasped in her bosom.

A man named Carland alarmed the ladies Bloomfield House, and proceeded to Lieutenant Walsh's. He saw Walsh, his wife and child, lying outside, shot. He then proceeded to Cadle and Blair's store. about one hundred yards from Lieutenant Walsh's. He saw Mr Cadle lying dead. shot, also a friendly native, named Roers Wakaoneha, and a returned Hau Hau, exprisoner, named Paul. He (Garland) then proceeded to Mr Uren's; he found the place deserted, and then made his way to Turan-

Atkins, after leaving Major Biggs's, and the ghastly spectacle it presented, passed Mr Mann's bouse, about a mile nearer Turanganui. He saw Mrs Mann lying outside, with a portion of her clothes burnt, and the pigs gnawing at the body. Mr Mann and his child were lying inside, shot dead. He reached Turanganui about 5

The list of killed and wounded, including twenty friendly Maories, amounted to fiftyfour. It has been since reported that Mrs Wilson is not dead, and has one wound through the abdomen, one through the thigh, and five other wounds. She was three days by herself before being discovered. She was during that time sustained him, upon which the poor lady had scribbled We extract from the Southern Cross an appeal for help in the following touching words :- "Could some kind friend come to our help, for God's sake."

> Ox the 4th of November the bishop of Gibraltar consecrated a new church Bondjah, near Smyrns. On that occasion there was a repetition of the same fraternal courtesy on the part of the Archbishop of Smyrna as had been exhibited by the patriarch of Constantinople. The Archbishop sent bis archdeacon and a priest to assist at the consecration. They remained throughout the service and at the calebration of the Holy Communion.

A WITNESS was asked if he was a not a husbandman. 'No, sah, I'se not married,'

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of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the The Contract Packet "RANGOON" last case will be deducted from the amount will be dispatched with the usual Mails of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be for Europe, &c., on TUESDAY, the 26th presented with the application for a new Instant, at 9 A.M., and the Post Office will be agen for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Kegistration,

error in the name of the Remitter or Payee on the 25th Instant. Letters, &c., may should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the on the 25th Instant, until 7 A.M. on the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief on the 26th Instant, will be chargeable, Money Order Office of such Country, This in addition to the usual postage, with application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have re-The latest time for posting Letters at this | ference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers, Commission will be deducted from the Books, or Patterns 7 A. M. on the 26th amount of the New Order.

Further, late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Marseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 8.30 to 8.50 a.m. on payment of a late fee originally drawn.

of 48 cents each, in addition to the 14. - Payment of an Order must be ob postage, after which no Letters can be tained before the end of the Sixth Calenda Month after that in which it was drawn Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence | for instance, if drawn in January, paymer of Box Holders will be received at the must be obtained before the end of July window set apart for the purpose, on All correspondence for places to which prepayment is compulsory must be drepaid of the Order, will be charged) will become necessary.

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, -for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January—all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order

16.—After once paying a Money Order Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they can- by whomsoever presented, the paying Office not be forwarded unpaid, will be open- will not be liable to any further claim. ed and returned to the writers as early a wrong payment, however, be made owing as possible, but no guarantee can be to negligence on the part of any Officer of given that such Letters, if posted after | the Post Office, the Postmaster General of 8 P.M. on the 25th Instant, will be re- the Country or Colony in which the negli gence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Postage Stamps should be placed on the Officer in fault to make good the loss. upper right hand corner of the corres-

pondence, except in cases where they the advice has been previously received. when the Stamp or Stamps representing the late fee should be placed on the as occasion may require. All transactions in fractional parts of a Dol-

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders | Life. lar will be conducted in the Coins preare used by mercantile men, or others, scribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and either in the United Kingdom or at Hong kong. Shanghai or Yokohania; for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case or given in change as fractional parts may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time in the current Dollars of the Colony or the issue of Money Orders. By Command.

> General Post Office. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

> > Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

By order of the Board of Directors,

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usual designation of such firm, such as powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG," mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs. Ri- Vessels requiring the services of this Tug vington," or the name of a Company trad- | either from Matson (where a splendid aning under a title which does not consist of chorage will be found during the S. W. the names of the persons composing it, such | monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application

JOHN C. SKEY, Manager. Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Ves-

At Hongkong the Company have the Above 1 month and only Dock in the harbour,—a Granite drawing 22 feet of water.

Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers. The Company have also opened a Shipyard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, and are ready to contract for the construc-

At Whampoa the Company have four Docks, in which they will take Ships at reduced rates. The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"

> JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary.

Company's Office, H. kong Hotel Building, Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

insurances

COMPANY, London.

12.—But when it is desired that any Policies at current rates. Hongkong, June 6, 1867. ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was

otherwise the Order will become lapsed, and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount

Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom will be sent on, charged with a line of One Shilling in Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 26th Instant will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee as well as the postage is prewas drawn think proper to allow it.

17.—No Money Order will be paid unless 18.-Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Eight call of Fifty Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not Dollars on the new Stock of the above exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange named Company is due on the 1st March Current for Each Mail, and charged with next and will be payable at the office of Commission according to the following the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent

per annum will be changed after the above

GEORGE N. MINTO, Secretary. Hongkong, December I, 1868.

THE above Dock has been in full working 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of -water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out 5.—Applicants for Money Orders must by Steam.

For further particulars as to the price of coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to T. D. Tillinghast, Esq., Messes De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyn & Co., dinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the | Shanghai; or to the Undersigned.

In connection with the above is the

sels of all classes.

Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to Above 3 months and admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and Attached to it there are Shipwrights. his address in the presence of the Officer Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery works, and everything necessary for the

tion of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any

can be sugaged to tow Vessels to sea, or berth them, at reasonable rates. For particulars, apply to

A. D. MITCHELL, Manager of Works.

UCEAN MARINE INSURANCE

Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. IHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co

ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee, - J. Ivon MURRAY Esq., м. b.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propo-

sals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS STEELING. HE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on tirst class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868. 27jan-69

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:---

Not exceeding 1 of the Annual Rate. one month,... Above 1 month and not exceeding three months,.... Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding six

months..... Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE

INSURANCE COMPANIES. *HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this order for the last four years. Length | Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods Stored therein.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsul and Kelung, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-

ANCE at current rates. DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding 1 month, \(\frac{1}{4} \) of the annual rate

not exceeding 3,... 1 not exceeding 6,... 4 Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. I INTIL further notice the following An-U nual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz:--

Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their . 4 per cent Contents, . . . Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c.

1 per cent. and their Contents, . GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

insurances.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS

INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 26, 1868. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY, REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Con-

per cent. Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, per cent.

Godowns, Offices, Sliops, &c. and their Contents. per cent. GILMAN & Co., Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE | principal ports throughout the World. INSURANCE COMPANY LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:-

Not exceeding one } 1 of the annual rate. Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 } months. Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6

the full Annual rate, Above 6 months. Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and

Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809. CAPITAL £2,000,000

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,238,927, ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

THE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.

GILMAN & Co Hongkong, June 21, 1864. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER

AND LONDON. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868. NOTICE.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged future for short period Insurances, viz :---

Not exceeding 1 month, $\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, $\frac{1}{2}$ do. Above 3 months and not exceeding $6, \dots, 3$ do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE

CORPORATION. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. THE following rates will in future be L charged for Short Period Insurances: Three months.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

NOTICE TROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding } 1 of the Annual Rate. Above I month i and not ex-(ceeding three (*) months,

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ceeding Bix (? " months,, Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

CAPITAL, Two Million STERLING, FITHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1868,

THE QUEEN INSURANCE

COMPANY.

insurances.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. L ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-

Not exceeding } } of the Annual Rate. Above I month and not exceeding three Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

'NOTICE, BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,

THE Undersigned having been appointe Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates Policies can be made payable at all the MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

LIMITED.

Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPAN THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding I month, 1 of the annual rate Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 Above 3 months and

not exceeding 6, 4 do. Above 6 months, the full annual rate. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL

MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867.

NOTICE. GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1821. CAPITAL £2,000,000. HE Undersigned baving been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Canton are prepared to

grant Policies at current rates. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT.) £2 perCent. per Annum Bonus declared during the last-Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two

Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned

without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the

Company.

No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement. Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured.

Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permament resident in Europe :-

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N.B. Intermediate ages charged propor-For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON, ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.

of 1 per cent.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

viz:-Not exceeding One) d per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding } } per cent. Three Months. Above Three Months and not exceeding } a per cent. Six Months, Above Six Months, Thefull Annual Rate

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

insurances.

LIFE ASSURANCE. HE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue Like Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALLER & Co., ag

Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

NOTICE.

HE Undersigned having received extendd ed limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against Fire as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

> REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er-

FECTS, therein contained. In cases of Dwelling-Houses-removed from the Town, the rate of Fremium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged ; and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will

be further reduced to Une-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :--Detached and semi-detached.

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents. Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their

Contents. # per cent. First Class China House and their Contents. 12 per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangement, ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-

pany are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a list of Premia contributed by them up to the 31st October last, to afford the distribution of the 25 per cent. Profit reserved for the Contributors to the Company. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

General Agents: Hongkong, January 2, 1869. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Po-

licies against SEA RISKS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSUCIA-TION OF SHANGHAI. THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each

the amount o premium paid by each poicy-holder. RUSSELL & Co.

year at the close of each current year,

fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the

Company for that year divided pro rata to

Hongkong, March 2, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSUL. ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Poli-

cy covering Marine Risks, at the current FUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN 3 SEA AND BIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.

RAYNAL & Co.

Macao, August 4, 1866. DE OOSTERLING --SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA.

ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, August 1866.

future for short period Insurances. FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Pericd Insurances: --Not exceeding one

month, f of the Annual rate; Above one month and not exceeding 3 months, ½ Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months,.... Thove 6 months,... the full annual rate.

Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 13, 1868,

TURNER & Cor

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